

**City of SeaTac Fire Department
International Festival
Fire Safety Requirements
For Food Vendors**

Food Concession Stands

Stands utilized for cooking shall have a minimum of 20 feet of clearance from combustibles on all sides, including other stands and supplies. UFC 3216.3.2

A 40BC UL rated dry chemical fire extinguisher shall be required where deep fat-fryers are utilizing **100% lard or animal fat** cooking mediums. UFCX 3504.3.3

A Wet Chemical portable fire extinguisher with a UL Rating of K and 2A shall be required where deep fat-fryers are utilizing **Vegetable Oil type cooking** mediums or are not using 100% lard/fat STFPB Policy 1006

If the food concession stand is equipped with a fixed fire protection system, it shall be UL300 complaint, if using vegetable oil type cooking medium. Wet Chemical Class K extinguishing agent is required if the stand is equipped with a fixed fire protection system.

Covered non-combustible waste containers shall be provided outside the food booth UFC 3221.4

Heat Producing Devices in Display or Vendor Tents/Canopies:

Use of heating devices, such as portable propane catalytic heaters, kerosene heaters and the like **shall not** be used in vending booths or under canopies. UFC 3215.2;3217

LP-Gas

Equipment such as tanks, valves, tubing and other related components shall be approved and in accordance with UFC Article 82 and the Mechanical Code. UFC 3216.4.2

LP-Gas containers shall be located outside of the tent or canopy or structure/trailer. Safety release valves shall be pointed away from the tent or canopy.

Portable LP-Gas containers, piping , valves and fittings shall be secured and adequately protected to prevent tampering or damage. UFC 3216.4.3

Fire Department Access

All Fire Lanes, Access Roads and Fire Appliances shall be maintained free and clear of any obstruction during set up, dismantling and for the duration of the event. UFC 902.1;902.2;1001.6;1001.7

Tents and/or Canopies used for Food Vending:

Shall be made of fire resistive fabric or shall be flame retardant treated and shall have an affixed label indicating the flame resistant material or flame retardant treatment. 75% of perimeter shall be open without walls or drop sides.